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Subject: Today's call with Chesapeake has been postponed at least a week.

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Chris Hill just returned my call. He has prepared some technical information on some proposed sites, but he has to do a briefing for management next Monday afternoon and coordinate with them on the company's "business plan," especially regarding future "divestitures" of assets to make sure the area's he is focusing on will be kept by the company. He offered his appologies and regrets for the delay.

I told him Bob Sussman recently asked about the status of the project and said he may call Paul H. to encourage them to move forward quickly with proposing more sites. In an effort to let them know we will not put this off forever, I noted that this project will take on more importance now that the other prospective study is to be dropped.

He immediately asked if that would open up Marcellus or Utica sites for consideration? I said no, because nationally more activity is in the west, and that it is more convenient for ORD researchers to get to from Ada, but I agreed I would raise the question to ORD for consideration.

He indicated he would call me in a week to let me know how the management briefing goes and to schedule a call. If we don't do it on the morning of the 19th, it will have to wait until January. I will be in a two day meeting on Dec 19-20, out on AL Decemer 21 - January 6, then there is the PI meeting is in DC.

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